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Ironton. Missouri,

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County court adjourned Wednesday noon. Proceedings are printed on the eighth page.

Don't miss the Big Bargain Clearing Sale—February 8th to February 22d. LOPEZ STORE CO.

the Graniteville road, beyond Pilot hen roost. He will probably remain Knob, to J. L. Fisher. Mr. Marks has in jail until circuit court. removed to Scott county.

Again for sale at the Kandy Kitchen, the beautiful patriotic song, "When Blue Stars Turn to Gold;" 25 cents a copy. New supply just re-After being fifty cents and more all

winter the price of eggs in the valley is now down to thirty cents a dozen. Butter is still fifty cents a pound and 17c.

F.O. Marcott, a recent arrival in the valley from Little Rock, Arkansas, has bought the barber shop of Jas. Sohn, in Pilot Knob, and expects to make his home there.

J. H. Cowan, of Pine Bluff, Ark., a conductor on the Cotton Belt, was in Ironton last Wednesday on a visit to his sister, Mrs. Ella Aldridge, whom

Prof. B. Fox ot Potosi, Superintendent of Schools in Washington county, was in Ironton Saturday, Mr. Fox will probably be a candidate to succeed bimself at the school election in April

Representative J. H. Keith came home from Jefferson City Saturday night, returning to the State Capital Monday evening. The judge looks like the law-making air was agreeing

Mr. Thos. Johnson says that if the groundhog did see his shadow on Feb ruary 2d he didn't go back to his hole. He telephones us that he is running all through the woods this (Wednes-

Mrs. Wm. H. Delano, who went to Bonne Terre recently for medical treatment, we are glad to learn is

Strayed-From my farm, one mile north of Black, Mo., one one-year-old Commission at Jefferson City main-past steer, white face, with lion back taining that the light plant in Ironton had been operated the past year at a left ear; small sheep bell on when last seen. Liberal reward for some. W. H. STEVENS, Black, Mo.

From Mrs. H. O. Davis, who is visiting in Murphysboro, Illinois, we learn that the mercantile establish-ment of her son, Mr. A. F. Kuehle, in that city was destroyed by fire last Thursday. The loss is considerable We surely sympathize with Mr. Kuehle who is a most splendid gentle-

For Sale-At your own price lot 9 in block 13 and tract 9 in section 32 two 34, N., range 3 E., 5th P. M., containand fifteen-huntwenty-one dredths acres, in Iron county, Mo.; lot in Ironton. Make me an offer. Address I. A. Viersen, Pella, Iowa,

The biggest snow of the winter fell last Saturday afternoon and evening. It was pretty cold and Sunday night the thermometer went down to 6. Then it warmed up and in a couple of days the snow was entirely gone. This (Wednesday) morning is like a day in spring.

Mrs. Clara Sullivan of Pilot Knob was arraigned before Justice Rasche last Thursday on the charge of having disturbed public worship at the prayer meeting at the Pilot Knob Baptist Church the evening before. The defendant entered a pies of guilty and was fined \$5 and costs, \$13.25 in all.

Fred Orrick of Middlebrook was among the students at the Chillicothe Business College who were successful in passing the Office Test Thurs-

Recorder Hawkins has issued the following marriage licenses since our John Jefferson Cunningham Brule and Mrs. Bertha Hasty of Bis-

John W. Woodruff of Pilot Knob and Maggie Mayberry of Goodwater. Leslie Chilton and Ruby Stout of

Des Arc. C. W. Tetwiler left Monday for California, where he will visit and take a well earned rest. It would perhaps be no misstatement of fact to say that Mr. Tetwiler has hardly seen an idle day since Uncle Sam began to press in the services of his people for war work; and while this strenous life has not told on Mr. Tetwiter as one could notice, none doubts that he will enjoy a rest.—Poplar Bluff Republi-

to send the amount of your quota to E. L. Cook, Treasurer, Ironton, Mo. The names of the districts will be

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A car-load oi Fords—seven of them—was received by Fletcher & Barger this morning.

One Jop Jones, who lives east of the Arcadia Heights in the edge of St. Francois county, is in durance vile, charged with burglarizing the resi-dence of Mrs. Ferguson, one of the summer dwellers on the Heights. This is the same Joe Jones who achieved considerable notoriety a few years ago on the charge of appropriating a number of chickens from a neighbor's

Coming! The U. S. Government's War Picture, "America's Answer," the one following "Pershing's Crusaders," Thursday, February 20th. By special arrangement we will be able to show

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Fisher arrived A school entertainment and box supper will be given at the Pilot Knob School Thursday evening, February 13. Proceeds to go to the Syrian and Armenian fund.

F. O. Marcott, a recent arrival in the valley from Little Rock, Arkansas, Fisher and hone there. We welcome him and Mrs. Fisher and hone there. We welcome him and Mrs. Fisher and hone there. Fisher and hope they will find much pleasure and profit in their valley home. Mr. Fisher has been a builder and contractor in St. Louis for the past fifteen years.

Friday's St. Louis Post-Dispatch: "Robert D. Lewis of 52 Westmoreland T. N. Marr was discharged from the federal grand jury in St. Louis last Thursday, having served, off and on, since last September. Another jury will be empaneled next month.

Prof. B. Fox of Particle 2015 Lewis' son, Virgil, and daughter, Roberta, but they were not called up-on to furnish their blood for the operation. A medical student whose identity is withheld, is said to have complied with the tests and to have been the volunteer in the first opera-tion. Lewis' condition is said to be improving rapidly."

Two aeroplanes, flying high and fast, passed southward over the valley last Thursday at 12:30. They were frantic efforts to have the travelers alight for a rest in the valley, but the

The Iron County Electric Light & Power Company recently filed a state-ment with the Missouri Public Service had been operated the past year at a loss of \$1,912.54, exclusive of any sum for depreciation upon the plant or interest upon the investment. The Iron County Electric Light & Power Com-pany further advised the Commission of its desire to abandon the operation of the plant, unless ways and means can be provided to operate said plant without a loss, either by reduction in the hours of service or otherwise. On this showing and contention of the Light Company the Public Service Commission ordered a hearing of the cause at Jefferson City, February 11th. Tuesday morning, however, word was received here from Jefferson Cityt hat the hearing had been postponed until February 15th, and would be held in Ironton instead of Jefferson City. Those who have followed the Iron County Electric Light & Power Company in its devious and winding ways in the past do not take its figures or statements too seriously. The general opinion seems to be that the Light Company is trying to get away from

the day service. programs. It is not a club, but mere-The women of Missouri are

The campaign for the relief of the supporter of it in the Senate. There The Isle of Wight naturally appealed to Syrians and Armenians will continue are now fifteen states where women one's curiosity, especially after seeing an until the quota for the county has been raised. The committees of the several school districts are requested to send the amount of your quota to E. L. Cook, Treasurer, Ironton, Mo. The names of the districts will be the treally Mrs. Wing in her talk sitions on the floor. Each the second to the continuous are not fifteen states where women one's curiosity, especially after seeing an one's The names of the districts will be the twelve. Mrs. Wing, in her talk printed together with the amount each contributed.

The names of the districts will be the twelve. Mrs. Wing, in her talk sitions on the floor. Early the next morning I heard the most welcome location comotive whistle to which I have ever with its millions of members has no listened; it assured us that we had suc-connection whatever with the hand-ful of women who persist in demon-sale in the harbor of La Harve, France strations at the White House. "All on that morning, June 26, one month big movements," she said "have their fanatics. Of course, woman suffrage could hardly hope to escape."

On that morning, June 26, one month trois the day our train left Camp Funstion, we landed in this French scaport. We marched around the edge of the city

> Buy everything you need during the Big Sale, and save from ten cents to thirty-five cents on every dollar. You can do this and more. LOPEZ STORE CO.

PERSONAL.

Joe Reyburn was home Tuesday. Charles Duty of Peoria was a caller Monday. G. W. Clarkson was here from St.

W. C. Welch of Minimum was a caller last Saturday.
Wm. R. Edgar, Jr., attended court

Mr. and Mrs. A. Roehry returned inpress sure have treated me fine, and from a trip to St. Louis Tuesday night. I do not think I will ever forget them.

in Ironton.

Francois county several days last week on official business.

Miss Velma Sutherland, of St. Louis, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs.

Miss Flora.

Our Soldier Boys.

Private T. H. Mitchell, Det. Med. Dept., 354th Infantry, writes the followwe have moved from Rommersheim through mud shoe mouth deep.

getting along nicely and the physicians have decided that it will not be necessary for her to undergo an operation.

A photoplay of decidedly more than ordinary interest is coming to the Academy Theatre on Saturday, February 15th. This is Mark Twain's celebrated story, "Tom Sawyer," with clever young Jack Pickford as the star. Adv.

Billots heeded him not and went soarbased of June 3d for Montreal, Canada, this half including the Medical Detachment. The other half boarded ship in New York harbor and went straight to Halisham one of the planes were from Scott Field, Ills., and were bound for Lonoke, Arkansus, 110 and were bound for Lonoke, Arkansus, 110 fax, N. S. We arrived in Montreal about and were bound for Lonoke, Arkansus, 110 fax, N. S. We arrived in Montreal about and were bound for Lonoke, Arkansus, 110 fax, N. S. We arrived in Montreal about and were bound for Lonoke, Arkansus, 110 fax, N. S. We arrived in Montreal about and were bound for Lonoke, Arkansus, 110 fax, N. S. We arrived in Montreal about and were bound for Lonoke, Arkansus, 110 fax, N. S. We arrived in Montreal about and were bound for Lonoke, Arkansus, 110 fax, N. S. We arrived in Montreal about and were about developed to Marseilles, France, where we took the Italian steamship, Duca D'-Mosti. We stopped at Gibraltar one day while the ship was coaling. We were aboard sixteen days; buffeting with rough seas and punk meals. We arrived at New York February 5th, and manned of course. We were assign. and manned of course. We were assign- where we received a grand welcome. ed our places in the hold that night and Our destination is Camp Merritt, N. ed our places in the hold that night and got a night's sleep in our canvass hammocks before lifting anchor. At 6 A. M., June 5th, a year from the date of our resignation, we set sail down the St. Lawrence River. About twilight we reached Quebec where the lights and the profile of the profile of the steep fortress bluffs were just right to allow one to indulge his imagination and see Wolfe, Montcalm and other figures of the past, Montcalm and other figures of the past, doing their historic deeds about the old strongholds. In the Gulf of St. Lawrence we found a fough sea, the worst of the entire voyage, and I succumbed to sea-sickness. On Saturday the 8th we en-tered the harbor at Halifax. We had a whole day to rest our stomachs here, as dezvous for the whole convoy, which consisted of 15 vessels, all told. Some carried Canadian sodliers. A number of the whole convoy which carried Canadian sodliers. A number of the whole convoy which carried Canadian sodliers. A number of the whole convolves the who torpedo boats accompanied us for some distance from the shore. There was nothing eventful during the trip across, except possibly our passing a becalmed sailing vessel away out on the watery waste. Our biggest 3 funnel cruiser fell out and stopped to investigate, but it evidently discovered nothing suspicious, as it finally caught up with us, and we a number of the Ironton ladies met was near a ventilating shait, which opening upon invitation of Mrs. Riggs, was held in the parlors of the Bartis. was to give a signal-a long and two shorts-in case of submarine danger, at was held in the parlors of the Baptist
Home. Mrs. Alice Curtice MoyerWing was one of the speakers for the
District Federal Clabs meeting in
Ironton three years ago and is known,
also, to some of our people as a writer of Ozark stories for the Sunday
Post Dispatch. The officers chosen of the suppositions of the suppositions of the speakers for the sunday of the speakers for the Sunday of the suppositions of the supposition o Post Dispatch. The officers chosen a fog. After that blast would die down for the local league are chairman, miss on to be followed by the two shorts, I was set to whitewash the morning his Utica Reagan; secretary-treasurer, hammock about me and resume my triends came to jeer at him but reday. Mr. Orrick will now enter the Office Training Department and in mediately made for the upbuilding of a course of a month or six weeks will have his course completed and will be ready for employment.

Recorder Hawkins has issued the chalk chilfs of Dover were there in all ly a membership list of men and their perpendicular whiteness. The next women who are willing to stand back morning we sailed around to the Thames of the Suffrege cause to the extent of and up that stream and past the beautiwomen who are willing to stand back of the Suffrage cause to the extent of 25 cents per year for dues and the ladies hope to build up a membership of fifty, which will entitle the local organization to two delegates to the State Suffrage Convention to be held in St. Louis the latter part of March at the time of the National Suffrage Convention. This will give delegates and vieitors the rare opportunity of attending both these interesting occasions. The women of Missouri are I had seen look like ferry boats. It was asking the present legislature for the Olympic, the big four funnel twin presidential suffrage. This county sister of the ill fated Titanic. The little can congratulate itself upon the stand steamers that conveyed us across the Music, February 3d:

We marched around the edge of the city to a rest camp. On Monday, the 28th, we were loaded on box cars and started an our overland journey. Our car had two flat wheels, but I slept very well that Friday night. Early Saturday morning we skirted around the edge of Paris and about dark detrained at Ramoncourt. On Sunday morning we marched about 15 kilometers into our own Regimental area near Grand, in the Department of the Vosges. Our regiment was billeted in five villages. But in a few days we were billeted at Trampot, where Regimental Headquarters and Infirmary were locat-We spent the time until the first

week in August in this area."
Walter Pruitt, who has been in Base
Hospital 82, at LaHavre, France, since ' Sargeant Ernest Ricke is home from the latter part of November, writes as late as January 20 that he is doing all Wm. R. Edgar was here from St. Louis the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. A Poets. A. M. Trauernicht and Master Ellis
Lee were here from St. Louis last Saturday.

Mrs. T. W. Hardin of De Soto is the guest of her uncle, Mr. W. D. Hardin, in Ironton. Game Warden Gunton was in St. and we just more than talked. I was

G. W. Sutherland, in Arcadia,
Wesley Langdon arrived from Horneraville Sunday. He and Mrs.
Lengdon went to St. Louis Monday.
John T. Baldwin, Jr., wife and baby, of Laurel, Mississippi, were here a couple of days the past week as guests of Mr. W. H. Delano and Miss Flora.

baving received his honorable discharge at Camp Dodge. He came over in the Rochambeau, a ship that had a tussle with the rough seas. They were delayed two days at Halifax, but sailing from that place to New York was fine. He said the 339 Field Artillery came over in four different ships to be at home once more. to be at home once more.

A telegram February 5th announced

the safe arrival of Corporal Louis R. Miller. Bat. E.339, F. A., in New York. In a letter which followed, he says: We had been in Bordeaux since earing letter to his parents on December 1y in December, billeted for a while in 25th: Since I wrote you a week ago barns, farm houses, and treading we have moved from Rommersheim about 15 kilometers to a little village named Lunebach. We had to-day a program of fun, a short devotion conducted by the chaplain, and in the evening a picture show. We also had a good dinner. My Christmas box has not come yet, but I do not have to wait until it does come to thank you. Quite a number have failed to receive theirs yet. Christmas eve was the first sunshiny day that we had had in Germany. That night the first snow that struck the ground fell different times. Our fare was very that we had had in Germany. That night the first snow that struck the ground fell and quietly, beautifully decorated the Christmas trees set up around our outmotors was loud and distinct. Everybody, or nearly everybody, ran out of the house and gazed into the sky. It is said that mine host Kanouse of the Valley Inn hurried away from the dinner table to get a look and made frantic efforts to have the travelers I want to tell you now something of tunate, not being confined to the hoamy travels after leaving Camp Mills. Half of our regiment started on the night the drills, the army life and France for home in the good old U. S. A.! Look for me soon." Look for me soon.

Albert Akers from H. Q. Co., Camp Bowie, is on furlough and visiting his folks at Pilot Knob. The following have been discharged

view. Don L. Payne, 339 Supply Co., 88 Division, Camp Dodge, Iowa, Good-

William W. Keathley, Co. H, 69 Infantry, Camp Funston, Ironton. W. J. Bryan Lane and Fred M. Casey, each Co. D, 70th Regiment, Red-

Mark Twain's Famous "Tom Sawyer."

In "Tom Sawyer," which is coming to the Academy Theatre, Ironton, on Saturday, February 15th, Jack

unlock anything, a piece of chalk, a glass stopper, a tin soldier, two tad-poles, a fire cracker, a kitten with one eye, a brass door knob, a dog collar but no dog, a bandle of a broken knife, four pieces of orange peci and a piece of an old broken window sash! Director William D. Taylor, who is responsible for the production, and who is noted as a stickler for realism, even shows these "props."-Adv.

The Masque Ball.

Following are the names and char-

their Representative has taken on this channel were small but fast. We started question. Mr. Keith having pledged late in the P. M., but carly enough to see himself to its support, while our by daylight the shores of the long River Harbor running out from Southampton.

Senator, Carter M. Buford, is a staunch Harbor running out from Southampton.



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non Buckey, Cowboy. The total receipts were 834 25, ex-penses, \$24 80 Balance of \$11.45 turned over to the Provident Associa-

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A. M. to 1 P. M. Any word may be left for him there. Bismarck, Wednesday, February 19.

Write for appointment.
Flat River, Wednesday, Feb'y 19, at New Hammond Hotel, from 3 to 8

Write for information or appointment.

The Lutheran Church.

Divine services next Sunday, Feb-ary 16, will be as follows: At Pilot Knob-Sunday School at 1:30 P. M. Sermon at 2:00 P. M. At Ironton—Sermon at 7:30 P. M. Subject of Sermon: "Working in

the Lord's Kingdom." All interested in our services are invited to attend.

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